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GENEVA FOR U.S. TEAM, LF/MF CONFERENCE

1. EMBASSY OFFICER DISCUSSED OPERATION OF UAE SADIYAT TRANSMITTER WITH ALI SHUMMO, UNDERSECRETARY, MINISTRY OF INFORMATION. ON SPECIFIC POINTS PARA 6A REF A. SHUMMO WAS UNINFORMATIVE. HE DID SAY HOWEVER THAT STATION WOULD BE OPERATIONAL BY END OF YEAR AND THAT POWER WOULD BE DOUBLED TO 1.5 MW BY END OF 1976.

2. ON USE OF 729 KHZ SHUMMO SAID HE WAS INSTRUCTING UAE CONFERENCE DELEGATES TO WORK CLOSELY WITH U.S. TEAM ON RESOLVING ISSUE. HE WENT ON THAT UAE DOES NOT INTEND TO BLANKET GREECE WITH ARABIC SERVICE. UAE CAN EASILY CHANGE FREQUENCY IF NECESSARY. HOWEVER, SHUMMO EXPRESSED SURPRISE AT GREEK CLAIM THAT SADIYAT STATION WOULD EFFECTIVELY LIMIT NATIONAL NETWORK TO 20 KM AREA AROUND ATHENS. BEFORE TAKING ANY ACTION ON CHANGING FREQUENCIES, LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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SHUMMO WILL HAVE TO BE CONVINCED OF ACCURACY OF THE GREEK CLAIM.

HE HAS REQUESTED ON AN URGENT BASIS TECHNICAL INFORMATION ON
GREEK NATIONAL NETWORK AND THE CALCULATIONS ON WHICH GREEK CLAIM
IS BASED. REQUEST U.S. TEAM PROVIDE THIS INFO BY IMMEDIATE
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